

**Charles Smith to George Washington, August 22, 1758,
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FROM CAPTAIN CHARLES SMITH.

FORT LOUDOUN Augt. 22. 1758

DR SIR

I Receiv'd Your Favour Dated the 20th. — & have sent Down Your Inclos'd Letters to Alexandria by Mr. Cooper —

You say I Did very Rong in Keeping Govenours Faiuquars Letter to Governour Sharp so Long, & then sending it to you I can assure You to my knowledg I Never see the Letter but allways takes the Greatest Care of there Letters, as Well as Yours Which I Shall Resarve as Part of My Care —

I Receivd. a Letter From Governour Sharp Dated the 18th. Wherein he Informs me that it is Reported, as Lewes Burg was given up the 22d. of Last Month — but with What Foundation he knows not —

it Gives me a Deal of Sattesfaction to here that You & the Rest of the Gentn. Lives so agreable to Your one testes, it is more then I can say, for this is the Dulest Place You ever See,

I hav Wrote to hardewick at Every Oppertunity to Answer Your Letters, as I am sensibel he ought so to do, I am in Hast, & no more to ad, believe I am Your

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Friend & Very Humble. Servt. CHS. SMITH

P. S. Nothing is hapened since Last Return, & when I send the Papers You shall have an Exact Accot. of the Whole, C. S.